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Incident Response Groupe

Groupe d’interverntion en cas d’incident

Minutes

A meeting of the Incident Response Group was held in Room 335-A, West Block, on Sunday, February 20, 2022, at 4:30 p.m.

Procès-verbal

Une réunion du Groupe d’intervention en cas d’incident a eu lieu dans la pièce 335-A, édifice de l’Ouest, le dimanche 20 février 2022 à 16h30.

	<u>Present</u>	<u>Étaient présents</u>	
C O N F I D E N C E O F T H E	The Prime Minister *(Mr. Trudeau), in the Chair, The Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance *(Ms. Freeland), The Minister of Intergovernmental Affairs, Infrastructure and Communities *(Mr. LeBlanc), The President of the Queen’s Privy Council for Canada and Minister of Emergency Preparedness *(Mr. Blair), The Minister of Justice and Attorney General of Canada *(Mr. Lametti), The Minister of Public Safety *(Mr. Mendicino), The Minister of Transport *(Mr. Alghabra), The Leader of the Government in the House of Commons *(Mr. Holland).	Le Premier ministre *(M. Trudeau), Président, La vice-première ministre et ministre des Finances *(Mme Freeland), Le ministre des Affaires Intergouvernementales, de l’Infrastructure et des Collectivités *(M. LeBlanc), Le président du Conseil privé de la Reine pour le Canada et ministre de la Protection civile *(M. Blair), Le ministre de la Justice et procureur général du Canada *(M. Lametti), Le ministre de la Sécurité publique *(M. Mendicino), Le ministre des Transports *(M. Alghabra), Le leader du gouvernement à la Chambre des communes *(M. Holland).	D O C U M E N T C O N F I D E N T I E L D U
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	<u>Also present</u>	<u>Étaient aussi présents</u>	
	Mr. J. Innes (Office of the Minister of Intergovernmental Affairs, Infrastructure and Communities), Ms. L. Church (Office of the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance), Mr. A. Steinhouse (Office of the Minister of Justice and Attorney General of Canada), Mr. M. Maka (Office of the Minister of Transport), Mr. M. Jones (Office of the Minister of Public Safety), Ms. Z. Astravas (Office of the President of the Queen’s Privy Council for Canada and Minister of Emergency Preparedness), Mr. M. Menouar (Office of the Minister of National Defence), Mr. M. Sabia (Finance Canada), Mr. F. Daigle (Justice Canada), Mr. M. Keenan (Transport Canada), Mr. R. Stewart (Public Safety Canada),	Mr. J. Innes (Cabinet du ministre des Affaires Intergouvernementales, de l’Infrastructure et des Collectivités), Mme L. Church (Cabinet de la vice-première ministre et ministre des Finances), M. A. Steinhouse (Cabinet du ministre de la Justice et procureur général du Canada), M. M. Maka (Cabinet du ministre des Transports), M. M. Jones (Cabinet du ministre de la Sécurité publique), Mme Z. Astravas (Cabinet du président du Conseil privé de la Reine pour le Canada et ministre de la Protection civile), M. M. Menouar (Cabinet de la ministre de la défense nationale), M. M. Sabia (Finances Canada), M. F. Daigle (Justice Canada), M. M. Keenan (Transports Canada), M. R. Stewart (Sécurité publique Canada),	
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	<u>Also present</u> (Cont'd)	<u>Étaient aussi présents</u> (suite)	
C O N F I D E N C E O F T H E Q U E E N , S P R I V Y C O U N C I L	Mr. B. Matthews Mr. W. Eyre (National Defence), Mr. J. Ossowski (Canadian Border Services Agency), Ms. B. Lucki (Royal Canadian Mounted Police), Mr. D. Vigneault (Canadian Security Intelligence Service), Ms. K. Telford Mr. B. Clow Mr. J. Broadhurst Mr. J. Brodhead Ms. S. Khalil Mr. B. Chin Mr. C. Ahmad Ms. M. Michel Mr. P. Proulx (Prime Minister's Office), Mr. K. MacKillop Ms. L. Setlakwe Ms. J. Bogden Mr. J. Hutchison s.38 Ms. K. Levesque s.38 Mr. M. Vandergrift Mr. D. MacGillivray Ms. L. Baird Mr. P. Mackinnon (Privy Council Office), Interim Clerk of the Privy Council and Secretary to the Cabinet (Ms. J. Charette), The Deputy Clerk and Associate Secretary to the Cabinet (Ms. N. Drouin), National Security and Intelligence Advisor to the Prime Minister (Ms. J. Thomas). <u>Secretary</u> Mr. S. Tupper (Privy Council Office). <u>Recording Secretary</u> Ms. A. Davis (Privy Council Office).	M. B. Matthews M. W. Eyre (Défense nationale), M. J. Ossowski (Agence des services frontaliers du Canada), Mme B. Lucki (Gendarmerie royale du Canada), M. D. Vignault (Service canadien du renseignement de sécurité), Mme K. Telford M. B. Clow M. J. Broadhurst M. J. Brodhead Mme S. Khalil Mr. B. Chin M. C. Ahmad Mme M. Michel M. P. Proulx (Cabinet du premier ministre), M. K. MacKillop Mme L. Setlakwe Mme J. Bogden M. J. Hutchison s.38 Mme K. Levesque s.38 M. M. Vandergrift M. D. MacGillivray Mme L. Baird M. P. Mackinnon (Bureau du Conseil privé), La greffière intérimaire du Conseil privé et secrétaire du Cabinet (Mme J. Charette), La Sous-greffière et secrétaire associée du Cabinet (Mme N. Drouin), Conseillère à la sécurité nationale et au renseignement auprès du Premier ministre (Mme J. Thomas). <u>Secrétaire</u> M. S. Tupper (Bureau du Conseil privé). <u>Secrétaire de séance</u> Mme A. Davis (Bureau du Conseil privé).	D O C U M E N T C O N F I D E N T I E L D U C O N S E I L P R I V É D E L A R E I N E



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INCIDENT RESPONSE GROUP

February 20, 2022
4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

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AGENDA

- 1. Operational & Threat Update
- 2. Progress on Actions Following Implementation of *Emergencies Act*
- 3. Progress on Additional Actions

GROUPE D’INTERVENTION EN CAS D’INCIDENT

Le 20 février 2022
16h30 – 17h30

Vidéoconférence sécurisée

ORDRE DU JOUR

- 1. Mise à jour sur les opérations et les menaces
- 2. Progrès sur les actions suite à la mise en œuvre de la *Loi sur les mesures d’urgence*
- 3. Progrès sur les actions supplémentaires



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Opening Remarks

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Operational and Threat Update

The Commissioner of the RCMP began her operational update by assuring participants that the RCMP was looking into the incident of the group chats that have been leaked to the media showing the RCMP Musical ride participants

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As it relates to the situation in Ottawa, the Commissioner reported that lots of progress has been made with the majority of sites having now been cleared, including part of the Sir John A McDonald Parkway, Kent Street and Wellington Street. The Ottawa Police Service (OPS) is reporting 191 arrests and 389 charges ranging from mischief to assaulting a peace officer since the operation began. This includes the arrests of key organizers. Smoke grenades and fireworks were reportedly located in one vehicle, and an arrest has been made regarding this incident. There is one report of a mid-range weapon being deployed by police and a protester that was injured in a separate incident and the Ontario provincial investigations unit will look into both of these incidents. OPS is reporting 79 vehicles removed from the secure zone and the vehicles will be held for seven days before they can be picked up. License plates were seized from 32 vehicles, and 22 vehicle registrations were seized as well as 10 commercial vehicle licenses that were suspended/sanctioned. The focus of the operation today has been on clearing protesters south of Wellington and reinforcing barriers. Protesters remain at Bank and Sparks and have been advised that they will be arrested if they do not leave. Public order units continue to wear tactical gear but police tactics remain focused on de-escalation. Police are also monitoring a gathering that has formed at the War Museum of approximately 100 people and a smaller gathering of 30-50 individuals at Confederation Park. Information suggests some indication that some protesters are staying in the secure zone, including at hotels in this area. RCMP is looking into this.

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On economic sanctions, the RCMP Commissioner reported that 57 entities (18 individuals and 39 vehicles) have been sanctioned and 206 accounts have been frozen or about to be, with 10 of those being frozen proactively. RCMP is now posting key statistics on their blockade website and will update these as appropriate. RCMP continues to work with banks and financial institutions to develop a process for unfreezing accounts, with the likely process being that individuals will have to report to a police station and will be given some type of document to present to the financial institution to have their account unfrozen, which will take the onus off the financial institutions.

Outside of the downtown core, the Commissioner reported that protesters have begun dismantling their site at Coventry road and have indicated to police that this will take approximately 2-3 days. OPP continues to monitor sites that are forming in Metcalfe, Embrun, Arnprior and elsewhere, where some protesters have been diverted.

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Across Canada, protests and convoys continue. Ports of Entry (POEs) and legislatures remain key targets. All POEs are open as of this morning with Pacific Highway reopening last night following a demonstration that remained peaceful. A major demonstration occurred at the national assembly in Quebec City with thousands of participants and at least 4 arrests. A protest was also planned in Toronto and large sections of downtown Toronto were blocked. There are also unconfirmed reports of a busload of protesters heading to Windsor or Sarnia for a protest.

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Progress on Actions Following Implementation of *Emergencies Act*

The Minister of Public Safety reported that letters of support have been received from police associations including the Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police and the Ontario Association of Chiefs of Police on the essential and instrumental need of the federal *Emergencies Act* in addressing the blockades. s.39

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The Minister of Transport s.39. He also noted that the NOTAM over North Portal, Saskatchewan has been lifted.

Progress on Additional Actions

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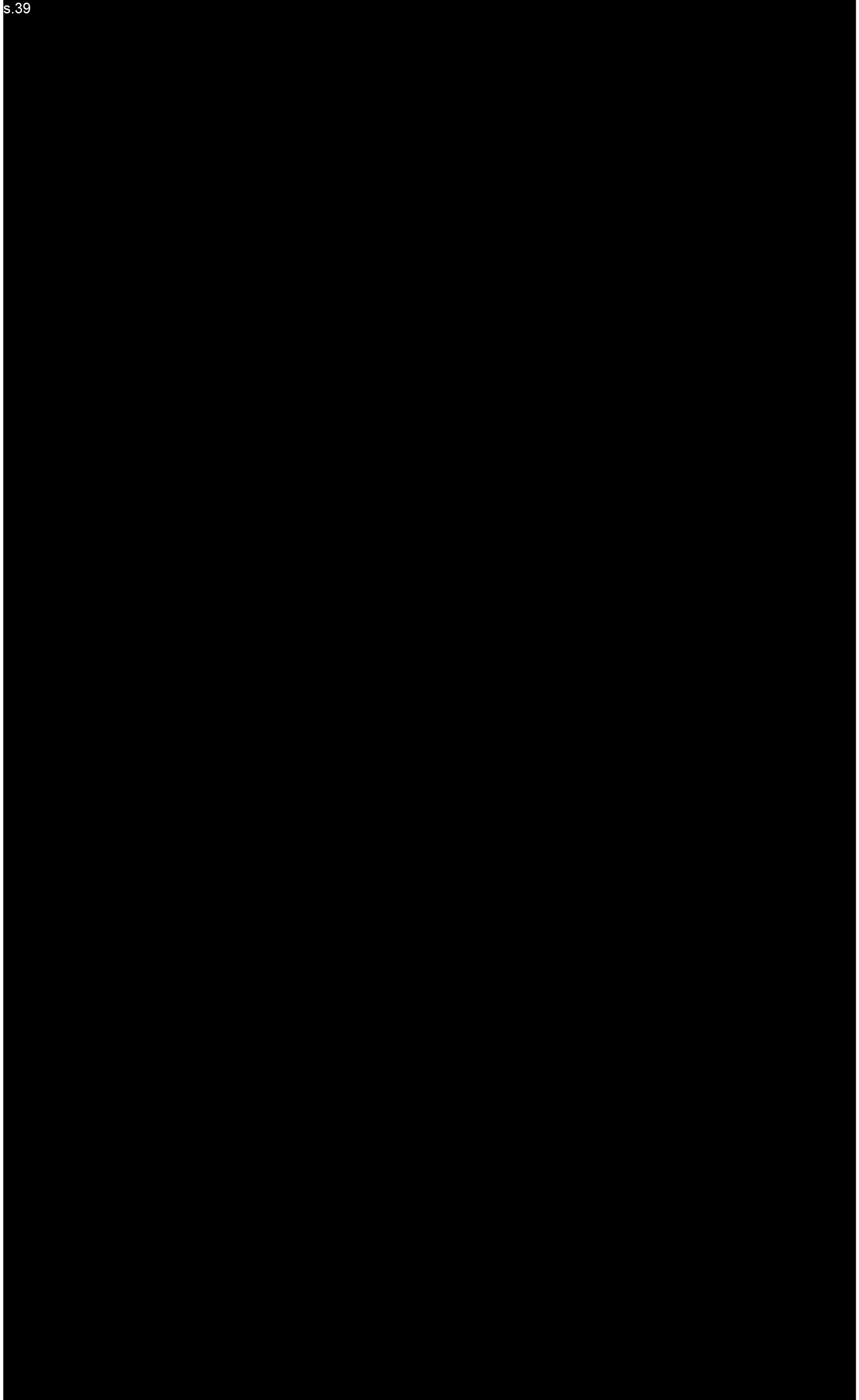
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Concrete Actions

Category	OPI	Actions	New Data	Outcome Summary
Enforcement with New Authorities EMERGENCY MEASURES	RCMP	Will take enforcement action on <u>new</u> authorities when preferable to existing options.	Media reporting indicates approximately 191 <u>arrests</u> were made in Ottawa since operations began on Feb 18, 2022 and 12pm Feb 20 2022.	No specific arrests using new authorities. However, the entire Ottawa event is deemed an illegal act under the EMA. 0 <u>known</u> arrests using new authorities
			The RCMP continues to manage checkpoints to limit unlawful access to POEs. This includes active checkpoints at Northgate (SK), North Portal (SK), and Pacific Highway (BC),	Media reporting approximately 191 arrests in Ottawa for <i>Criminal Code</i> offenses related to the unlawful protest (on Feb 18, 2022) Law enforcement in Ottawa, have been able to secure perimeters successfully without a need to employ any designations through the EMA.
			Solicitor-Client Priv.	
		Guidance to inform front line staff on the roll out and operationalization of select new tools on an urgent basis.		Distributed Feb 17, 2022 Placemat completed and shared with frontline officers in Ontario and all RCMP regions for fan out. Provides a clear guide in both official languages
	OPP / OPS / POJs	Will take enforcement action on <u>new</u> authorities when preferable to existing options.	Media reports the Ottawa Police Service towed 57 <u>vehicles</u> , seized 22 <u>license plates</u> , and <u>suspended 11 commercial vehicle operator registrations</u> since operations	7 <u>Enforcement</u> Actions on travel to prohibited assemblies (Windsor). 0 <u>known</u> arrests using new authorities

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			began on Feb 18 and 12pm Feb 20. (It is unknown if EA authorities were used). The OPP intercepted and diverted a convoy (3 transport trucks and +/- 10 vehicles) near Pidgeon River POE (peaceful protests ensued). There are ongoing investigations to confirm the ownership of 65 vehicles in Ottawa.	Media reports the Ottawa Police Service: - towed <u>57</u> vehicles, - seized <u>22</u> license plates - suspended <u>11</u> commercial vehicle operator registrations. (It is unknown if EA authorities were used).
	CBSA	- Denial of entry at Ports of Entry to foreign nationals seeking to enter Canada to participate in a prohibited public assembly (balance of probabilities threshold). - Operational bulletin (OB) completed to provide guidance to staff on implementation of enforcement powers	Two travellers bound for Ottawa directed back to the US under EA as a result of one new Enhanced Vigilance Exam at Prescott, ON.	2 <u>known</u> foreign nationals denied entry under <u>Emergency Act</u> powers. Operational Blitz at POE Lacolle QC (Feb 18): Border staff increased referrals of US travelers; conducted staff conducted 13 Enhanced Vigilance Exams; <u>No</u> travelers were denied entry due to EA requirements. Operational bulletin Published Feb 15, 2022
		- Inland enforcement actions against foreign nationals to remove offenders. - Operational bulletin (OB) to provide guidance to staff on implementation of new inland enforcement measures on removing offenders.		0 <u>known</u> inland enforcement actions on foreign nationals Published Feb 15, 2022

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	IRCC	CBSA liaison officers informing international community of new approach to promote awareness and engagement.		Completed Feb XX, 2022
		Trade corridors leading to Ports of Entry have been hardened including police presence as required, with actions at the Ambassador Bridge as a priority.		Completed Feb 17, 2022
		Program Delivery Instructions (PDIs) to provide guidance to staff that will add new offences (and exemptions) when exercising existing authorities related to the immigration inadmissibility determination process.	Completed Feb 18, 2022	Completed Feb 18, 2022
		Immigration disincentives related to the new offences to be included in public communications and that IRCC will leverage existing authorities and information sharing processes with law enforcement and national security partners which could have consequences for future travel.	Completed Feb 18, 2022	Completed Feb 18, 2022
		Identify on a case-by-case, exceptional, and individual basis, foreign nationals whose admission to Canada would be contrary to the national interest, and use existing Ministerial authority under Negative Discretion to deny entry to Canada (pre-arrival).		Implemented & Ongoing
Secondary Enforcement Actions	PSPC	Seizure and forfeiture of property pursuant to the regulations (e.g. trucks) will be initiated upon direction from law enforcement.	Space has been made available for towed vehicles and team is on standby to hold vehicles if they are officially seized.	
		- Barriers (fencing) around Parliament Hill, Senate buildings and Supreme Court completed as per request from Parliamentary Protective Service and Chief Justice. Additional fencing and barriers installed as requested by Law Enforcement. - Additional barriers (jersey barriers) installed at Rideau and Wellington; Sussex and George; Colonel by and Day; Rideau and William.	Installed <u>10,000 linear feet</u> of fencing and <u>50 jersey barriers</u> at additional locations in support of law enforcement operations.	Completed Feb 17, 2022: Barriers and fencing Parliament Hill, Senate buildings and Supreme Court Feb 19, 2022 Installed <u>10,000 linear feet</u> of fencing and <u>50 jersey barriers</u> at additional locations in support of law enforcement operations
		The A RCMP-led coordination and centralized reporting process is in place to communicate information on designated individuals to financial institutions who have been found to be in contravention of the Order.		Completed Feb 16, 2022

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EMERGENCY ECONOMIC MEASURES		Solicitor Client Priv.	1 new <u>individual</u> reported to financial Institutions A total of <u>253 bitcoin</u> addresses have been shared with virtual currency exchangers. This includes <u>150 new</u> addresses of unknown value since Feb 19. Accounts Frozen: 169 financial products (<u>130 new</u> since 19 Feb); 164 financial <u>products</u> have been or are about to be frozen; 5 financial products proactively frozen). 1 new financial institution proactively freezing the account of a payment processor to a value of \$3.8M. * Data not for public release	57 Entities in total reported to financial institutions including: 18 Individuals 39 Vehicles <u>\$3.8</u> total in Crypto currency and <u>\$3.8</u> addresses reported including: <u>\$3.8</u> Crypto accounts <u>\$3.8</u> bitcoin addresses <u>\$3.8</u> bitcoin addresses of an unknown value. 169 financial products have been frozen or are about to be including: 164 financial products 5 financial products proactively frozen 1 financial institution proactively freezing the account of a payment processor to a value of \$3.8M. 1 Proactive Disclosure by a Financial Institution Note: the specific number of accounts held by an individual/entity, which are frozen, are not always identified by FIs. Some FIs only disclose that action has been taken on accounts held by an individual/entity. *Refer to DoF reporting for information on frozen accounts

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		The RCMP has engaged 3 major banks, insurance agents, credit unions, 8 9 3 3 3 8 and crypto currency exchanges to explain the intended operational approach to the new measures and how communications will take place.		*Data not for public release
	FINTRAC	- Implementing new authorities related to crowdfunding platforms and payment to service providers. - Pre-registry process launched, including a notice to crowdfunding platforms and payment service providers posted on FINTRAC website on how to register and submit suspicious transaction reports. (https://www.fintrac-canafe.gc.ca/intro-eng) - As entities self identify to register, FINTRAC will determine whether they meet the criteria for registration based on the regulations. - Receipt of transmission of information from reporting entities as per the GIC Order, including gathering the necessary information to register entities and provide them access to existing transaction reporting channels as per the Regulations. - Guidance sent to existing and new reporting entities upon publication of the Regulations.	17 pre-registration forms received	Completed Feb 15, 2022 17 pre-registration forms received 1 Money Service Business interested in adding provision of payment services to existing registration. 23 inquiries on impact of proclamation (most from small and medium banks) 0 entities registered/0 determined valid registrants
		Compliance and intelligence resources have been dedicated to this task and are prepared to triage every suspicious transaction report submitted and disclose to law enforcement and national security when thresholds are met.		Completed (15 feb); No major reallocation of Intel units required to date.
	FINANCE	Engage with financial institutions subject to the <i>Emergency Economic Measures</i> to raise awareness, communicate obligations and address questions.	To date, Financial Services providers have frozen at least 145 accounts representing approximately \$3,688,783. This represents an increase in 84 accounts and approximately \$1,005,783 from Feb 18.	Financial Services Providers have frozen at least: 145 accounts frozen (mix of retail and corporate) \$3,688,783 approximately 0 known insurance policies suspended

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		Create a crowd-funding host registry.		Engagement ongoing with large banks \$, small \$ and medium-sized banks, \$, \$ provincial credit unions \$, \$, life insurance companies, property, casualty insurance companies.
Additional Measures	IRCC	Support the Public Safety portfolio on the deliberation of any passport-related sanctions as needed for national security reasons, or to process cases where <i>Criminal Code</i> convictions or other actions or offenses are flagged and trigger passport revocation action.	Ongoing	
		Continue to advance the Strategic Enforcement Strategy working with other federal departments, provinces, and local authorities.		Complete Law enforcement agencies now leverage suite of authorities: EA/PT laws etc. PS/RCMP with support of PSPC can now execute tow strategy under authorities in place
	TC	Continue to advance the “Tow Truck Strategy” taking into account EA authorities for PS and RCMP, as well as options for procurement of services and/or trucks based on tactical requirements.		Ongoing Tow truck inventory available for assistance in Ottawa TC-RCMP Meeting EA Regs related to towing with Canadian Trucking Alliance, CAA, Private Motor Truck Council, Ontario Recovery Group, Provincial Towing Association of Ontario

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		Enhanced inspector activity with industry to ensure operators have necessary security plans and procedures in place and awareness of Emergency Act authorities.		Ongoing TDG inspector consultative support available. Facilitation/liaison role resulted in a ETR Railway (Windsor) voluntarily complying with OPP requests to temporarily cease railway operations in order to protect police and public safety near Huron Church Rd.
		Engage existing stakeholder tables in each mode of transport and FPTs on scope and implications of the order.	Meeting with Rail Security WG	Full round of engagement took place week of Feb 14
		Continue to provide support to law enforcement through NOTAMs, Transportation of Dangerous Goods guidance and inspector support if requested.	6 (+3) active NOTAMs currently in effect - Ottawa/Gatineau ON/QC - Quebec City (Valid until 00:00 21 Feb 2022) - Toronto, ON (0.5 nautical mile radius of Queen's Park Feb 19 9am to Feb 21 at noon) - North Portal, SK - Northgate, SK - Surrey, BC	Total of 12 NOTAMs have been used nationally since January 20, 2022

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			5. NOTAM violations currently being investigated (# not for public release).	
	PS	Engagement conducted with public and private sector stakeholders from to help identify and address questions and concerns relating to the <i>Emergencies Act</i>.		Ongoing Broad-based consultations completed with representatives from PTs and stakeholders from multiple critical infrastructure sectors.
	PSPC	- Continue to provide support to law enforcement through National Capital Region Command Centre as requested. - Buildings remain in restricted access mode in the core of the NCR; Parliamentary Precinct in Hold and Secure Mode. - Additional interpretation services provided to support Parliamentary debates.	Buildings remain in restricted access mode in the core of the NCR. Parliamentary Precinct in Hold and Secure Mode. Interpretation services provided to support Parliamentary debates	Ongoing

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Communications

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Key Messages for Ministers	PCO	Invoking the Emergencies Act to keep Canadians safe On Monday, February 14th, the Prime Minister, Deputy Prime Minister, and Ministers Lametti, Blair, and Mendicino announced that our government is invoking the Emergencies Act to supplement Provincial and Territorial authorities to address the blockades and occupation to keep Canadians safe, protect people's jobs, and restore confidence in our institutions. For more information, see the key messages below. Key messages: • For three weeks now, blockades have been illegally disrupting the life of Canadians, harming our economy, and endangering public safety. • We invoked the Emergencies Act to supplement Provincial and Territorial authorities to address the blockades and occupation to keep Canadians safe, protect people's jobs, and restore confidence in our institutions. • The Act will strengthen and support the work by the police. We are not using the emergencies Act in order to deploy the military. We will not be suspending fundamental rights as articulated in the charter of rights and freedoms, nor are we limiting the right to peacefully protest or assemble. • The police have now been given more tools to restore order in places where public assemblies can constitute illegal and dangerous activities, such as blockades and occupations as seen in Ottawa, Ambassador Bridge and elsewhere. These tools include strengthening their ability to impose fines or imprisonment. The government will designate secure-and-protect places and infrastructure that are critical to our economy and people's jobs, including border crossings and airports. • We have seen recent successes of our law enforcement agencies with the situations now resolved in Windsor, at the Ambassador Bridge, at Coutts Alberta Port of Entry, and also at the Emerson, Manitoba border crossing. Over the past 24 hours, we have seen deliberate and professional enforcement action here in Ottawa.

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		- We have also seen progress in implementing finance-related measures under the <i>Emergency Economic Measures Order</i>. Under the powers of the Act, financial Services providers have frozen at least 76 accounts containing approximately \$3.2 million. Additionally, FINTRAC's pre-registration process is ongoing as it responds to several dozen inquiries received from small and medium-sized banks on the impact of the <i>Emergencies Act</i> orders. - For those of you thinking of joining illegal protests, or setting up others across the country, we strongly suggest that you reconsider. We are calling on everyone to not jeopardize public peace or endanger yourselves or others by participating in purposefully illegal activities. There will be consequences for all criminal behavior related to the ongoing situations in Ottawa and across the country.
RCMP Background – Law Enforcement Actions under the Economic Emergency Measure Order	RCMP	Law Enforcement Actions under the Economic Emergency Measure Order (Emergencies Act) Background February 19, 2022 Law Enforcement Actions under the Economic Emergency Measure Order (Emergencies Act) - The Emergencies Act allows law enforcement and monitoring agencies to work more closely with Canadian financial institutions; enhancing the effectiveness of law enforcement conducting investigations into blockades. - It allows financial institutions to freeze financial products of individuals and companies suspected of involvement in the illegal acts mentioned in the law, and for law enforcement to share information with financial institutions for that purpose. - With regards to the enacting and application of the Economic Emergency Measure Order, police partners are working to collect relevant information on persons, vehicles and companies. - We are already seeing results, including (*Comment: The numbers that follow reflect release timing and have since been updated by RCMP as listed above in the tracker): - The freezing of 113 financial products; - The disclosure of 47 entities;

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	○ 251 Bitcoin addresses have been shared with virtual currency exchangers, and; ○ One financial institution proactively freezing the account of a payment processor to a value of \$3.8M. ● Police are in constant communication with the financial institutions to help them make the proper determination, as per the powers of the EEMO, before they take action to freeze financial products within holding. Thus far police have shared several information packages of persons, vehicles and companies involved directly or indirectly in an activity prohibited under the Order. ● It remains the responsibility of the banks to make the decision of freezing the accounts, not an order from the law enforcement. ● Police remain in daily communications with the financial institutions to assist them, when possible, to determine when assets can be unfrozen. ●	
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<i>Emergencies Act Specific Items</i>				
Parliamentary Process	PCO-LHP (Lead) PCO-IGA DOJ	Ongoing	- Once committee is set up, new orders will be reviewed by the committee - The Motion has been tabled and includes the Explanatory Note and Consultation Report and also the Emergency Measures Regulations and the Emergency Economic Measures Order - Invitations starting to be made for committee appearances (Finance, Security, Justice committees). There will likely be a joint committee of Parliament too.	Section 58 explanation - FINAL explanation - FINAL Motion for Confirmation of a D Lettres aux premiers ministres FR.pdf Letters to Premiers EN.pdf Gazette.pdf Consultations under the Emergency Act Consultations en vertu de la Loi sur le Section 58 Section 58 explanation - FINAL
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Communications specific to the <i>Emergencies Act</i>	PCO-Comms (Lead) DOJ PS	Ongoing	- Support to Ministerial daily media availabilities - Shared messages for Ministers, senior officials - Publication of EA documents on Canada.ca	The tabled documents on the Emergencies Act have now been posted and are available at the following link: https://www.canada.ca/en/services/policing/emergencies/public-order.html https://www.canada.ca/fr/services/police/urgences/declare-etat.html
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Protocols for Unfreezing Assets	RCMP (Lead) DOJ	Ongoing	- The RCMP committed to advise the table once this could be communicated to banks or publicly. - Considerations potentially requiring individuals to first go to police for a certificate, similar to what is done in the case of impounded vehicles, and then to present that certificate to the bank to have their assets unfrozen.	
Compensation for <i>Emergencies Act</i> Costs	Finance (Lead) DOJ PCO-IGA	Ongoing		s.39

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Non-Emergencies Act Items				
Communications Plan	PCO-Comms (Lead)	Ongoing	Communications Plan (evergreen) required in order to address ongoing developments	A communications plan was provided at the outset of the events that is now being implemented and adjusted daily.  Comms Plan Illegal BlockadesV2.docx
Publicizing Enforcement Actions	PCO-Comms (Lead) RCMP	Ongoing	Mirror or build upon enforcement information shared as part of the Feb 18 IRG PM Readout.	PCO Comms has been working with RCMP, PS partners and others to amplify and highlight enforcement actions.
Ongoing Monitoring	PS (Lead) RCMP CBSA CSIS	Ongoing	- Monitor and identify any new protest sites that develop - Monitor new convoys and groups seeking to provide support to those at current protest sites	 OSINT SITREP-18 Feb 22.docx  Context for Civil Unrest Following Pa
Implement a Government of Canada public "Tow Truck Strategy"	RCMP (Lead) TC PSPC CAF	Ongoing	- Identify available resources and equipment to support towing operations (e.g., police or CAF members with Class 1 licenses) - Leverage procurement strategies (e.g., leverage preferred suppliers list) - Domestic tow truck support (e.g., Montreal ) - TC to inform FPT table of strategy on 02/15/2022 - After coming into force TC will go out to tow truck working group to inform them of the new measures coming into force and encourage them to utilize them in their operation planning	

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			- Sufficient tow truck resources are in place in Ottawa <i>Emergencies Act</i> powers appear to have incentivized tow truck companies to comply, but the power to compel companies has been used twice to compel two tow truck companies who refused to assist	
Immigration Ban	CBSA (Lead) IRCC GAC	CBSA operational directives to go out after Declaration is signed.	- s.38 - CBSA is drafting operational directives/ bulletins, guidance to POE and inland to go out - Engaging with partners and union to ensure good understanding - Work with airlines to no-board people.	
Enforcement Strategy	RCMP (Lead) DOJ	Ongoing	Identify tools to ensure that law enforcement takes appropriate advantage of the existing and additional authorities provided to them and that they act to maintain order and enforce the law.	
Support for Ottawa Businesses	FedDev (Lead) FIN ISED		- Options to provide support to Ottawa businesses in the downtown core directly impacted by the illegal blockades. - FedDev Ontario working on proposal and options for delivery. - Feb 19 announcement of an investment of up to \$20 million to provide non-repayable contributions to Ottawa businesses who have suffered losses due to the illegal blockades and occupations	s.39
Daily Coordination and Information Sharing	PCO-S&I (Lead) RCMP	Daily	Organize daily DMOC meetings and distribute sit-reps	
FPT Engagement	PCO-IGA (Lead)	Ongoing	- PT consultations at First Ministers' Meeting, February 14, followed by bilateral engagement at the ministerial level - Prime Minister wrote to premiers on February 15 - FPT DM IGA call on February 15 - Consultations report tabled in the House of Commons February 16 - Public Safety FPT call with Justice, Solicitor General, Transport, and IGA officials on February 16 - FPT DM IGA call on February 17 - Worked to promote Provincial and Territorial implementation of more significant enforcement strategies, like approach taken by Ontario	

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Exercise any available powers under the <i>Not-for-Profit Act</i> to void the convoy being registered under the Act	ISED (Lead)			
Maximize penalties including revocation of licenses, loss of operating certificates and fines for those using private or commercial vehicles in an illegal blockade.	TC (Lead)			
Harden Ports of Entry and Trade Corridors with fencing, barricades, controlled access points and additional personnel (law enforcement or s.38)	CBSA (Lead) RCMP s.33			
Passports	IRCC (Lead) PS		- Minister of IRCC with authority to refuse to issue, cancel, or revoke passports in cases of passport fraud, passport-related criminality, where someone is charged with an indictable offence, when someone is subject to a term of imprisonment in Canada, or where someone has judicially-imposed restrictions on their travel. - Minister of Public Safety authorities to decide that a passport is not to be issued or is to be revoked if they have reasonable grounds to believe that the decision is necessary to prevent the commission of a terrorism offence, as defined in section 2 of the Criminal Code, or for the national security of Canada or a foreign country or state.	
Notice to Airmen (NOTAM)	TC (Lead)	Ongoing	s.33	